

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT(S) : Xin Tao

TITLE : A METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR
PROCESSING CALLS IN A CORE
PACKET NETWORK USING A
HALF-CALL MODEL

APPLICATION NO. : 10/609,117

FILED : June 27, 2003

CONFIRMATION NO. : 9242

EXAMINER : Mais, Mark A.

ART UNIT : 2619

LAST OFFICE ACTION : January 7, 2008

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE
BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

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Applicant hereby appeals to the Board from a decision of the primary Examiner
mailed **January 7, 2008** finally rejecting claims 1-19.

The items checked below are appropriate:

1. **STATUS OF APPLICANT**

☒ This application is on behalf of other than a small entity.

2. **FEE FOR FILING NOTICE OF APPEAL**

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17(b) the fee for filing the Notice of Appeal is:

☒ other than a small entity \$510.00

3. **EXTENSION OF TERM**

☒ An amendment and three month extension of time were filed July 2, 2008. Payment for the filing of this Notice of Appeal is authorized to be charged to a Credit Card. If the Credit Card is unable to be charged, please charge any and all fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-0308. If there are any additional fees required by this communication, please charge same to Deposit Account No. 06-0308.

4. **TOTAL FEES DUE**

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Extension of Time Fee:	<u>\$0.00</u>

5. **METHOD OF PAYMENT**

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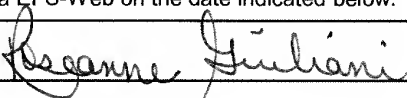
Respectfully submitted,

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